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S. A. Congress

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, dentistry is a health service profession dedicated to the promotion and preservation of oral health through the media of research, provention and various operative procedures; and

WHEREAS, tooth decay, especially in the mouths of children, is a very prevalent physical disorder which, if not given proper attention, will inevitably lead to more serious consequences; and

WHEREAS, the dentists of South Dakota realize fully the importance of good health for everyone, particularly the children of today who will be the adults of tomorrow, and are also cognizant of the value of dental health education and the importance of regular and adequate professional care.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Sigurd Anderson, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim and designate February 1-7, 1951, as

CHILDREN'S DENTAL HEALTH WEEK

and do urge all agencies, organizations, and individuals to seriously consider the purpose for which this week has been set apart and to observe it by conducting such meetings and programs as will awaken the people of South Dakota to the need of year-round community dental health programs for the protection and development of the health of our children.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the great Seal of the State of South Dakota to be affixed this 1st day of February, 1951.

Sigurd Anderson Governor

ATTEST:

Geraldine Ostroot Secretary of State

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